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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AMSPECS

1. POST REQUESTS TWO AMSPECS FOR FIRST QUARTER FY-77.

PROJECT I:

A) ONE AMSPEC FOR WEEK-LONG PROGRAM ON MARINE POLLUTION
CO-SPONSORED BY OCEANOGRAPHIC INSTITUTE, GUAYAQUIL.

B) SUBJECT, WHICH SUPPORTS COUNTRY OBJECTIVE I, IS
IMPORTANT BOTH LOCALLY, WHERE RECENT OIL SPILLS AND
EXPLOITATION OF UNDERSEA GAS RESERVES HAVE UNDERSCORED
NEED FOR STUDY, AND WORLD WIDE, WITH THE U.S. URGING
COMMON CONTROL STANDARDS.

C) SEMINAR THEME: LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN DETECTING AND
PREVENTING MARINE POLLUTION, OIL SPILL CONTAINMENT AND
EFFECTS OF POLLUTION ON MARINE FLORA AND FAUNA.

D) FORESEE DAILY LECTURES, AND QUESTION PERIODS. WOULD
ALSO MAKE CONTACTS AND VISITS OUTSIDE FORMAL PROGRAM.
FLUENCY IN SPANISH REQUIRED.

E) SUGGESTED TIME PERIOD: OCTOBER-NOVEMBER

F) POTENTIAL AUDIENCE: PARTICIPANTS INVITED FROM
POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE, NAVY, GOVERNMENT, MERCHANT
MARINE.

G) RECOMMEND DR. JOHN R. PRONI OF USDOC NATIONAL OCEANIC
AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION IN MIAMI. PRONI HAS TAUGHT
AT CARTAGENA NAVY SCHOOL AND WORKED ON OAS OCEANOGRAPHIC
PROJECT. MET INSTITUTE DIRECTOR ON LATTER'S IV TRIP TO
STATES. COMPLETE ADDRESS: USDOC, NOAA, ENVIRONMENTAL
RESEARCH LABORATORIES, ATLANTIC OCEANOGRAPHIC AND
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METEREOLOGIC LABS, ICEN REMOTE SENSING LAB, 15 RICKENBACKER

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2. PROJECT II:

A) ONE AMSPEC FOR THREE-DAY SEMINAR ON EDUCATIONAL PLANNING TO BE HELD IN QUITO AND GUAYAQUIL CO-SPONSORED BY FUOBRIGHT COMMISSION AND ECUADOREAN UNIVERSITIES.

B) PROJECT SUPPORTS CPP OBJECTIVE IV AND IS OF VITAL IMPORTANCE FOR ACADEMIC COMMUNITY IN ECUADOR.

C) SEMINAR THEME: UNIVERSITY TEACHING METHODOLOGY AND COURSE PLANNING.

D) SEMINARS WILL INCLUDE TWO DAILY LECTURES BY AMSPEC PLUS QUESTION AND DISCUSSION PERIODS. FLUENCY IN SPANISH IS REQUIRED.

E) SUGGESTED PERIOD: NOVEMBER.

F) AUDIENCE UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS.

G) SUGGESTED CANDIDATES: PROF. WARD DENNIS, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY OR PROF. EDWARD NEMMETH, UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA. BOTH WERE FULBRIGHT PROFESSORS AND WORKED VERY SUCCESSFULLY WITH ECUADOREAN UNIVERSITIES. BOTH ARE FLUENT IN SPANISH.

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